



**Public Comment Period**  
**September 12, 2006 through October 27, 2006**  
**Proposed Corrective Action Complete Determination**  
**Sierra Army Depot BRAC Parcels, Herlong, California**  
**September 12, 2006**



The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites the public to review and comment on a proposed Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Corrective Action Complete Determination for previously transferred Base Realignment and Closure parcels at Sierra Army Depot in Lassen County, CA. This proposal involves changing the boundaries of the Sierra Army Depot RCRA hazardous waste facility to remove the transferred parcels.

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**Comments Due (postmarked) no later than October 27, 2006**

Mail or e-mail comments to Charlie Ridenour, Project Manager,  
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As part of the Base Realignment and Closure Act of 1995, Sierra Army Depot was selected for a major realignment and subsequently transferred several parcels of property. The Army prepared Findings of Suitability to Transfer (FOSTs) and "Environmental Condition of Property" documents for each of the properties previously transferred. The Army transferred the following parcels, a total of 62,104.7 acres, between 1997 and 2004: Herlong Parcel, Federal Prison, Base Housing, Honey Lake (portion without Munitions and Explosives of Concern), clean portion of the East Airfield and Southern Section of East Shore Parcel, and the Susanville Road and South Cross Depot Access Parcels. The Army and DTSC determined that all of the property considered for this RCRA Corrective Action Complete Determination is free from environmental hazards that would restrict future use of the property.

Sierra Army Depot treated, stored, and disposed of hazardous waste under interim status and subsequently withdrew its RCRA permit application. A RCRA Corrective Action Complete Determination officially recognizes that all hazardous waste contamination has been cleaned up. It allows the Army to transfer clean parcels at Sierra Army Depot without transferring the liability for contamination associated with the hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal conducted by Sierra Army Depot under interim status. This proposal only applies to the previously transferred parcels.

**California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)**

DTSC determined that the proposed Corrective Action Complete Determination for the transferred parcels and the changes to the Sierra Army Depot boundaries will not have a significant impact on the environment. DTSC invites the public to comment on the Draft Notice of Exemption (NOE) prepared for this proposal.

**Additional Information**

For more information regarding the proposed Corrective Action Complete Determination or the Draft CEQA NOE, please contact **Mr. Charlie Ridenour**, Project Manager, at **(916) 255-3571** or [cridenou@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:cridenou@dtsc.ca.gov). A copy of the Fact Sheet for the proposed Corrective Action Complete Determination, Draft NOE, FOSTs, and "Environmental Condition of Property" documents will be available for review at the following locations:

Herlong Library  
Bldg 2067, California Street  
Herlong, CA 96113  
(530) 827-5353

Susanville Library  
1618 Main Street  
Susanville, CA 96130  
(530) 251-8127

Reno Main Library  
301 S. Center Street  
Reno, Nevada 89501  
(775) 327-8300

The full Administrative Record for this project is available for review at: **Department of Toxic Substances Control, 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826**. If you would like to be included in the mailing list, receive a fact sheet for this proposal, and receive additional information on Sierra Army Depot, please contact **Kris Escarda, Public Participation Specialist** at **(916) 255-6683**, [kescarda@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:kescarda@dtsc.ca.gov), at the address listed

**above, or Toll Free at 1-866-495-5651.** For media inquiries, please contact Carol Singleton, DTSC Public Information Officer, at (916) 255-6578 or [csinglet@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:csinglet@dtsc.ca.gov).

**Notice to the Hearing Impaired**

You can obtain additional information by using the California State Relay Service at 1-888-877-5378 (TDD). Ask them to contact Kris Escarda (916) 255-6683 regarding Sierra Army Depot.

**Si desea mas informacion en Espanol, comuniquese con Jesus Cruz, Especialista en Participacion Publica al numero 1-866-495-5651.**

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